

**IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES  
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF NORTH CAROLINA  
STATESVILLE DIVISION**

**CIVIL NO. 5:98CV29**

**BETTY G. BROWN, Individually and )  
as Executrix of the Estate of )  
Everette C. Brown, Deceased; )  
CAROL JEAN BYNUM, Individually )  
and as Representative of the Estate )  
of Steve W. Bynum, Deceased; )  
MAVIS R. MULLIS, Individually and )  
as Executrix of the Estate of James )  
Parks Mullis, Deceased; DAVID E. )  
STEELE, Executor of the Estate of )  
Erbie L. Steele, and wife MARIE K. )  
STEELE; JANE WALSER, )  
Individually and as Executrix of the )  
Estate of Wilford D. Walser, )  
Deceased; REGINALD B. BALLARD, )  
and wife NANCY C. BALLARD; )  
EUGENE BEAVER, and wife NITA S. )  
BEAVER; MICHAEL E. BILYEU, and )  
wife JOEANN G. BILYEU; BRIAN D. )  
BOST; EUGENE H. BROOKS, and )  
wife JACQUELINE B. BROOKS; )  
ERNEST B. BURTON, and wife )  
E. INEZ BURTON; JAMES D. COMER, )  
and wife JANE B. COMER; )  
CHARLES L. CRISP, and wife LINDA )  
S. CRISP; HAROLD D. DALTON, SR.; )  
DAVID L. EARLS, and wife DEBORAH )  
P. EARLS; OLLEN J. FARRIS, and )  
wife LINDA JOYCE FARRIS; ARNOLD )  
R. FLOYD, and wife RUBY T. FLOYD; )  
JAMES D. GILLESPIE, and wife )  
WILLA W. GILLESPIE; MADGE L. )**

HENSLEY, and husband CHARLES )  
 T. HENSLEY; DONALD C. HOLLIS; )  
 CHARLIE R. HORD, and wife )  
 BEVERLY P. HORD; JACK B. )  
 HUGHES, and wife SARAH ESTHER )  
 HUGHES; ARCHIE HUMPHRIES, JR., )  
 and wife MARGARET M. )  
 HUMPHRIES; BARBARA R. )  
 HUMPHRIES, Executrix of the Estate )  
 of Buddy R. Humphries, Deceased; )  
 LARRY K. HUMPHRIES, and wife )  
 THERESA N. HUMPHRIES; )  
 WILLIAM E. JACOBS, and wife )  
 EDITH H. JACOBS; BILLY BROWN )  
 JARRETT, and wife EVA MAE )  
 JARRETT; JAMES A. KISNER, and )  
 wife BRENDA G. KISNER; ZENO B. )  
 LANCASTER, and wife KATHERINE )  
 B. LANCASTER; SAM L. LYNN; )  
 CLYDE R. McKNIGHT, and wife )  
 MADELYN G. McKNIGHT; WALTER )  
 H. MABE, JR., and wife KATHY L. )  
 MABE; LEON B. MAUNEY, and wife )  
 EUNICE W. MAUNEY; KENNETH H. )  
 MOREE, and wife LYNN D. MOREE; )  
 MARY ALRIDGE SCRUGGS, )  
 Individually and as Executrix of the )  
 Estate of Joe Scruggs, Deceased; )  
 CORRINE F. SMITH, and husband )  
 JERRY L. SMITH; JACKSON J. )  
 SMITH, and wife CAROLYN S. )  
 SMITH; LLOYD L. SUTTON, and wife )  
 MARGARET H. SUTTON; WILLIAM C. )  
 THOMAS; CECIL B. THOMPSON, )  
 and wife MARGIE B. THOMPSON; )  
 WALTER D. THOMPSON; )  
 CAROLYN I. WAGNER, Individually )

and as Executrix of the Estate of )  
 Kenneth L. Wagner, Deceased; )  
**SARAH B. WALTERS**, Individually )  
 and as Representative of the Estate )  
 of James B. Walters, Deceased; and )  
**STEVEN F. HOLLARS**, Executor of )  
 the Estate of Jack F. Hollars, )  
 Deceased, )

Plaintiffs, )

Vs. )

**ORDER**

AMCHEM PRODUCTS, INC.; )  
 CERTAIN-TEED CORPORATION; )  
 GARLOCK, INC.; GENERAL )  
 ELECTRIC COMPANY; )  
 GEORGIA-PACIFIC CORPORATION; )  
 GRANT WILSON, INCORPORATED; )  
 OWENS-ILLINOIS, INC.; and )  
 3M COMPANY, )

Defendants. )

**THIS MATTER** is before the Court *sua sponte* for an order staying these proceedings due to the pending bankruptcy of the Defendants The Flintkote Company and Asbestos Claims Management, Inc.

**IT IS, THEREFORE, ORDERED** that this matter is hereby **STAYED** as to the Defendants The Flintkote Company and Asbestos Claims Management, Inc., only pending completion of bankruptcy proceedings,

and the Clerk is directed to close this case as to those Defendants as outlined in Volume XI, Chapter V of the *Guide to Judiciary Policies and Procedures*.

Signed: January 19, 2007

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'L. H. Thornburg', is written over a horizontal line.

Lacy H. Thornburg  
United States District Judge

